



In the US Patent and Trademark Office

Application No.: 10/560,912
Filing Date: 12/16/2005
Inventors: Bernard et al
Title: Method for soldering electrical connector pins on a support

**Petition under 37 CFR 1.47
Filing when an Inventor Refuses to Sign**

To: Commissioner for Patent and Trademark
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The above titled invention was made by three co-inventors, Robert Bernard, Eric Cussinet and Christophe Petigny. A Patent application No. 10/560,912 was filed with the US Patent Office on December 16, 2005. However, one inventor, Eric Cussinet, refuses to sign the Declaration and Assignment. The applicant hereby petitions under the provision of 37 CFR 1.47 to file the above referenced patent application in the case that one of the inventor refuses to sign.

Accompanying this petition is:

- a statement of facts verified and signed by Mr. Gerard Bloch having first hand knowledge of the facts herein. Mr Bloch is the patent attorney in France representing Johnson Controls Automotive Electronics;
- the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(g);
- The signed Assignment and Declaration from Robert Bernard and Eric Cussinet.

Respectfully Submitted,

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DECLARATION

I undersigned, Gérard BLOCH, Industrial Property Attorney, with a business address at 23 bis, rue de Turin, 75008 PARIS, France

hereby declare having contacted Mr Eric CUSSINET, a former employee with Johnson Controls Automotive Electronics concerning US Patent Application No. 10/560,912 for "Method for soldering electrical connector pins on a support".

I have been facing a refusal from him to sign the assignment and the declaration. I requested him to kindly send me a declaration explaining the fact. I am still awaiting this document.

Therefore, I hope that the attached documents executed by the representative of the applicant and the two other inventors will avoid abandonment of the case.

Made in Paris, on July 4, 2007.



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Statement of facts

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